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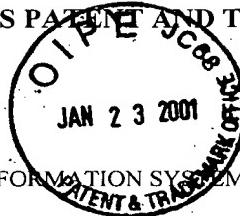
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Moriyuki KOIKE, et al.

SERIAL NO: 09/672,852

FILED: September 29, 2000

FOR: DIGITAL COPYING MACHINE, IMAGE FORMATION SYSTEM, AND DIGITAL COPYING MACHINE AS SLAMM
MACHINE



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- Attached is a list of applicant's pending application(s) or issued patent(s) which may be related to the present application. A copy of the patent(s), together a copy of the claims and drawings of the pending application(s) is attached along with PTO 1449.
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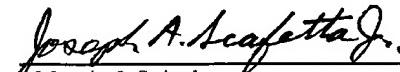
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